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In re Application of
Xiaorong Wang, et al.
Application No. 10/791,177
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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2), filed November 17, 2009 to withdraw the above-identified application from issue after payment of the issue fee.

The petition is signed by a registered attorney or agent of record. However, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.34(a), the signature of Nathan T. Lewis appearing on the correspondence shall constitute a representation to the United States Patent and Trademark Office that he is authorized to represent the particular party on whose behalf he acts. However, if Mr. Lewis desires to receive correspondence regarding this file, the appropriate power of attorney documentation must be submitted. A courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to Mr. Lewis, the petitioner herein. However, until otherwise instructed, all future correspondence regarding this application file will be directed solely to the above-noted correspondence address of record.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application is withdrawn from issue for consideration of a submission under 37 CFR 1.114 (request for continued examination). See 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2).

*Petitioner is advised that the issue fee paid on June 11, 2009, in the above-identified application cannot be refunded. If, however, the above-identified application is again allowed, petitioner may request that it be applied towards the issue fee required by the new Notice of Allowance.*¹

Telephone inquiries relating to this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3204.

¹ The request to apply the issue fee to the new Notice may be satisfied by completing and returning the new Part B - Fee(s) Transmittal Form (along with any balance due at the time of submission). Petitioner is advised that the Issue Fee Transmittal Form must be completed and timely submitted to avoid abandonment of the application.

The application is being referred to Technology Center AU 1796 for further processing of the request for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114.

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